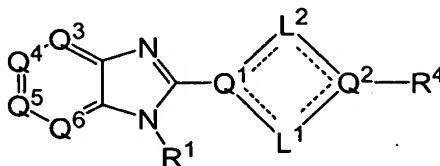


We Claim:

1. A compound having the structure:



- 5 or any pharmaceutically-acceptable salt thereof, wherein:

L<sup>1</sup> is a saturated, unsaturated, or partially-saturated chain of 1, 2 or 3 carbon atoms substituted at each open position by R<sup>2</sup>;

- L<sup>2</sup> is a saturated, unsaturated, or partially-saturated chain of 1, 2 or 3 carbon atoms substituted at each open position by R<sup>2'</sup>; wherein the combined  
 10 number of carbon atoms in the L<sup>1</sup> and L<sup>2</sup> chains is 3, 4 or 5; wherein, when L<sup>1</sup> is a one carbon chain and Q<sup>1</sup> and Q<sup>2</sup> are both N, then L<sup>1</sup> is carbonyl, and when L<sup>2</sup> is a one carbon chain and Q<sup>1</sup> and Q<sup>2</sup> are both N, then L<sup>2</sup> is carbonyl;

m is independently at each instance 0, 1 or 2;

Q<sup>1</sup> is N or C(R<sup>2</sup>);

- 15 Q<sup>2</sup> is N or C(R<sup>2</sup>); wherein at least one of Q<sup>1</sup> and Q<sup>2</sup> is N;

Q<sup>3</sup> is N or C(R<sup>5</sup>);

Q<sup>4</sup> is N or C(R<sup>6</sup>);

Q<sup>5</sup> is N or C(R<sup>6'</sup>);

Q<sup>6</sup> is N or C(R<sup>5'</sup>);

- 20 R<sup>1</sup> is H or -(C(R<sup>2</sup>)(R<sup>2</sup>))<sub>m</sub>-R<sup>g</sup>;

R<sup>2</sup> is, independently, in each instance, H, C<sub>1-8</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, -O(C<sub>1-7</sub>alkyl), -N(C<sub>1-7</sub>alkyl)R<sup>a</sup>, or a C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected from halo, cyano, -OR<sup>a</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -SR<sup>a</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>,  
 25 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup> and -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>a</sup>; wherein any two geminal R<sup>2</sup> groups may additionally be oxo;

R<sup>2'</sup> is, independently, in each instance, H, C<sub>1-8</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, -O(C<sub>1-7</sub>alkyl), -N(C<sub>1-7</sub>alkyl)R<sup>a</sup>, or a C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected from halo, cyano, -OR<sup>a</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -SR<sup>a</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>,

- 30 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>,

$-N(R^a)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^b$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^a$  and  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylOR^a$ ; wherein any two geminal  $R^{2'}$  groups may additionally be oxo;

$R^4$  is phenyl or naphthyl, wherein the phenyl and naphthyl are substituted by 1, 2, 3 or 4 substituents selected from  $R^c$ ,  $R^e$ , halo,  $C_{1-4}haloalkyl$ , cyano, nitro,

- 5  $-C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-C(=NR^a)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-OR^h$ ,  $-OC(=O)R^e$ ,  $-OC(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-OC(=O)N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^e$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^h$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylOR^h$ ,  $-SR^e$ ,  $-S(=O)R^e$ ,  $-S(=O)_2R^e$ ,  $-S(=O)_2NR^aR^h$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^e$ ,
- 10  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2NR^aR^h$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^h$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylOR^h$ ,  $-C(=O)R^g$ ,  $-C(=O)OR^g$ ,  $-C(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-C(=NR^a)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-OR^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)R^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)N(R^g)S(=O)_2R^e$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^g$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylOR^g$ ,  $-SR^g$ ,  $-S(=O)R^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2R^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2NR^aR^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^g)C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)R^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^g)C(=O)OR^h$ ,
- 15  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)OR^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^g)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-NR^aR^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)R^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)OR^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)S(=O)_2R^e$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)S(=O)_2NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2NR^aR^g$ ,  $-NR^hC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^g$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^g$ ,
- 20  $-NR^gC_{2-6}alkylOR^h$  and  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylOR^g$ ; or  $R^4$  is  $R^c$  substituted by 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 substituents selected from  $R^c$ ,  $R^e$ , halo,  $C_{1-4}haloalkyl$ , cyano, nitro,  $-C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-C(=NR^a)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-OR^h$ ,  $-OC(=O)R^e$ ,  $-OC(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-OC(=O)N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^e$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^h$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylOR^h$ ,  $-SR^e$ ,  $-S(=O)R^e$ ,  $-S(=O)_2R^e$ ,  $-S(=O)_2NR^aR^h$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)OR^h$ ,
- 25  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^e$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2NR^aR^h$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^h$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylOR^h$ ,  $-C(=O)R^g$ ,  $-C(=O)OR^g$ ,  $-C(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-C(=NR^a)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-OR^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)R^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)N(R^g)S(=O)_2R^e$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^g$ ,
- 30  $-OC_{2-6}alkylOR^g$ ,  $-SR^g$ ,  $-S(=O)R^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2R^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2NR^aR^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^g)C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)R^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^g)C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)OR^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^g)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,

-NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>g</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>e</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>g</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>g</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>g</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>g</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>e</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>g</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -NR<sup>h</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>,

- 5 -NR<sup>g</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>h</sup> and -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>g</sup>, wherein R<sup>4</sup> is not imidazole or any substituted derivative thereof;

- R<sup>5</sup> is H, R<sup>e</sup>, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, halo, cyano, -C(=O)R<sup>e</sup>, -C(=O)OR<sup>e</sup>,  
 -C(=O)NR<sup>e</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>h</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OR<sup>h</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>e</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>,  
 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>e</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>h</sup>, -SR<sup>h</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>e</sup>,  
 10 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>e</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>e</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>e</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>e</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>e</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>e</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>h</sup>, -C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>, -C(=O)NR<sup>g</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -OR<sup>g</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>,  
 15 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>g</sup>, -SR<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup> or -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>g</sup>; or R<sup>5</sup> is a  
 20 saturated, partially saturated or unsaturated 5-, 6- or 7-membered monocyclic or  
 6-, 7-, 8-, 9-, 10- or 11-membered bicyclic ring containing 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 atoms  
 selected from N, O and S, wherein the carbon atoms of the ring are substituted by  
 0, 1 or 2 oxo groups and the ring is substituted by 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 substituents  
 selected from R<sup>e</sup>, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, halo, cyano, nitro, -C(=O)R<sup>e</sup>, -C(=O)OR<sup>e</sup>,  
 25 -C(=O)NR<sup>e</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>h</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OR<sup>h</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>e</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>,  
 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>e</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>h</sup>, -SR<sup>h</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>e</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>e</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>e</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>e</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>e</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>e</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>e</sup>,  
 30 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>h</sup>, -C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>, -C(=O)NR<sup>g</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -OR<sup>g</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>g</sup>, -SR<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>g</sup>,

-S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup> and -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>g</sup>;

- 5 R<sup>5'</sup> is H, R<sup>c</sup>, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, halo, cyano, -C(=O)R<sup>c</sup>, -C(=O)OR<sup>c</sup>,  
 -C(=O)NR<sup>c</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>h</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OR<sup>h</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>c</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>,  
 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>c</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>h</sup>, -SR<sup>h</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>c</sup>,  
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 10 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>c</sup>,  
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 -C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>, -C(=O)NR<sup>g</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -OR<sup>g</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>g</sup>, -SR<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>,  
 15 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup> or -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>g</sup>; or R<sup>5'</sup> is a  
 saturated, partially saturated or unsaturated 5-, 6- or 7-membered monocyclic or  
 6-, 7-, 8-, 9-, 10- or 11-membered bicyclic ring containing 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 atoms  
 20 selected from N, O and S, wherein the carbon atoms of the ring are substituted by  
 0, 1 or 2 oxo groups and the ring is substituted by 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 substituents  
 selected from R<sup>c</sup>, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, halo, cyano, nitro, -C(=O)R<sup>c</sup>, -C(=O)OR<sup>c</sup>,  
 -C(=O)NR<sup>c</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>h</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OR<sup>h</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>c</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>,  
 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>c</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>h</sup>, -SR<sup>h</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>c</sup>,  
 25 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>c</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>c</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>c</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>c</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>c</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>c</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>h</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>h</sup>, -C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>, -C(=O)NR<sup>g</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -OR<sup>g</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>,  
 30 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>g</sup>, -SR<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>g</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>g</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>g</sup>,

-N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>b</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>b</sup> and -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>b</sup>;

R<sup>6</sup> is H, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, halo, cyano, -C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>, -C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>,  
 -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OH, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkyl, -OC(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>,  
 5 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>a</sup>, -SR<sup>a</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>b</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>a</sup> and R<sup>c</sup>;

10 R<sup>6'</sup> is H, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, halo, cyano, -C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>, -C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>,  
 -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OH, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkyl, -OC(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>,  
 -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>a</sup>, -SR<sup>a</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>b</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>,  
 15 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>,  
 -N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>a</sup> and R<sup>c</sup>; wherein at  
 least one of R<sup>6</sup> and R<sup>6'</sup> is other than H;

R<sup>a</sup> is independently, at each instance, H or R<sup>b</sup>;

R<sup>b</sup> is independently, at each instance, phenyl, benzyl or C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl, the  
 20 phenyl, benzyl and C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl being substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected  
 from halo, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-3</sub>haloalkyl, -OC<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, -NH<sub>2</sub>, -NHC<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl,  
 -N(C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl)C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl;

R<sup>c</sup> is independently at each instance a saturated, partially saturated or  
 unsaturated 5-, 6- or 7-membered monocyclic or 6-, 7-, 8-, 9-, 10- or

25 11-membered bicyclic ring containing 1, 2, 3 or 4 atoms selected from N, O and  
 S, wherein the carbon atoms of the ring are substituted by 0, 1 or 2 oxo groups;

R<sup>d</sup> is independently at each instance C<sub>1-8</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, halo, cyano,  
 nitro, -C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>, -C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -C(=NR<sup>a</sup>)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OR<sup>a</sup>, -OC(=O)R<sup>b</sup>,  
 -OC(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OC(=O)N(R<sup>a</sup>)S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylNR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -OC<sub>2-6</sub>alkylOR<sup>a</sup>,  
 30 -SR<sup>a</sup>, -S(=O)R<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>R<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>,  
 -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)OR<sup>b</sup>, -S(=O)<sub>2</sub>N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -NR<sup>a</sup>R<sup>a</sup>, -N(R<sup>a</sup>)C(=O)R<sup>b</sup>,

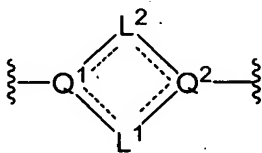
$-N(R^a)C(=O)OR^b$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^b$ ,  
 $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2NR^aR^a$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^a$  or  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylOR^a$ ;

$R^e$  is independently at each instance  $C_{1-6}alkyl$  substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from  $R^d$  and additionally substituted by 0 or 1  
 5 substituents selected from  $R^g$ ;

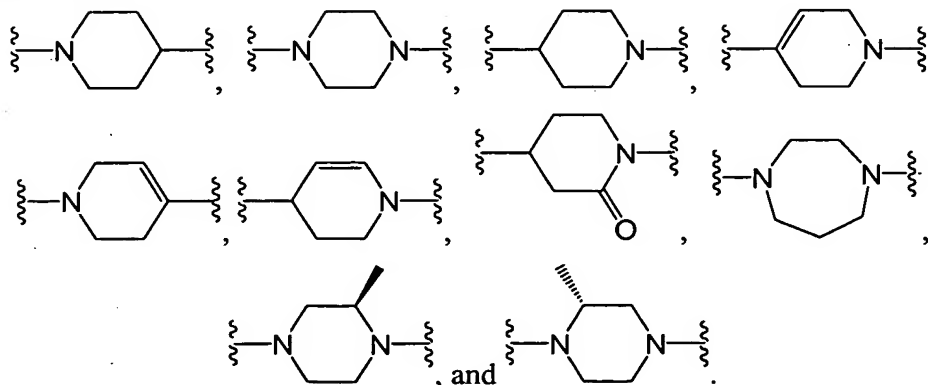
$R^g$  is independently at each instance a saturated, partially saturated or unsaturated 5-, 6- or 7-membered monocyclic or 6-, 7-, 8-, 9-, 10- or  
 11-membered bicyclic ring containing 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 atoms selected from N, O  
 and S, wherein the carbon atoms of the ring are substituted by 0, 1 or 2 oxo  
 10 groups and the ring is substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected from  
 $C_{1-8}alkyl$ ,  $C_{1-4}haloalkyl$ , halo, cyano, nitro,  $-C(=O)R^b$ ,  $-C(=O)OR^b$ ,  $-C(=O)NR^aR^a$ ,  
 $-C(=NR^a)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-OR^a$ ,  $-OC(=O)R^b$ ,  $-OC(=O)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-OC(=O)N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^b$ ,  
 $-OC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^a$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylOR^a$ ,  $-SR^a$ ,  $-S(=O)R^b$ ,  $-S(=O)_2R^b$ ,  $-S(=O)_2NR^aR^a$ ,  
 $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)R^b$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)OR^b$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^a$ ,  
 15  $-NR^aR^a$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)R^b$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)OR^b$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^a$ ,  
 $-N(R^a)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^b$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2NR^aR^a$ ,  
 $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^a$  and  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylOR^a$ ; and

$R^h$  is independently at each instance  $R^e$  or H.

20 2. A compound according to Claim 1, wherein the group:



is selected from



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3. The compound according to Claim 2, wherein  $Q^3$  is  $C(R^5)$ ,  $Q^4$  is  $C(R^6)$ ,  $Q^5$  is  $C(R^{6'})$ , and  $Q^6$  is  $C(R^5)$ .

4. The compound according to Claim 3, wherein  $R^4$  is a ring selected  
5 from thiophene, pyrrole, 1,3-oxazole, 1,3-thiazole, 1,3,4-oxadiazole, 1,3,4-  
thiadiazole, 1,2,3-oxadiazole, 1,2,3-thiadiazole, 1H-1,2,3-triazole, isothiazole,  
1,2,4-oxadiazole, 1,2,4-thiadiazole, 1,2,3,4-oxatriazole, 1,2,3,4-thiatriazole, 1H-  
1,2,3,4-tetraazole, 1,2,3,5-oxatriazole, 1,2,3,5-thiatriazole, furan, imidazol-1-yl,  
imidazol-4-yl, 1,2,4-triazol-4-yl, 1,2,4-triazol-5-yl, isoxazol-3-yl, isoxazol-5-yl,  
10 thiolane, pyrrolidine, tetrahydrofuran, 4,5-dihydrothiophene, 2-pyrroline, 4,5-  
dihydrofuran, pyridazine, pyrimidine, pyrazine, 1,2,3-triazine, 1,2,4-triazine,  
1,2,4-triazine, 1,3,5-triazine, pyridine, 2H-3,4,5,6-tetrahydropyran, thiane, 1,2-  
diazaperhydroine, 1,3-diazaperhydroine, piperazine, 1,3-oxazaperhydroine,  
morpholine, 1,3-thiazaperhydroine, 1,4-thiazaperhydroine, piperidine, 2H-3,4-  
15 dihydropyran, 2,3-dihydro-4H-thiin, 1,4,5,6-tetrahydropyridine, 2H-5,6-  
dihydropyran, 2,3-dihydro-6H-thiin, 1,2,5,6-tetrahydropyridine, 3,4,5,6-  
tetrahydropyridine, 4H-pyran, 4H-thiin, 1,4-dihydropyridine, 1,4-dithiane, 1,4-  
dioxane, 1,4-oxathiane, 1,2-oxazolidine, 1,2-thiazolidine, pyrazolidine, 1,3-  
oxazolidine, 1,3-thiazolidine, imidazolidine, 1,2,4-oxadiazolidine, 1,3,4-  
20 oxadiazolidine, 1,2,4-thiadiazolidine, 1,3,4-thiadiazolidine, 1,2,4-triazolidine, 2-  
imidazoline, 3-imidazoline, 2-pyrazoline, 4-imidazoline, 2,3-dihydroisothiazole,  
4,5-dihydroisoxazole, 4,5-dihydroisothiazole, 2,5-dihydroisoxazole, 2,5-  
dihydroisothiazole, 2,3-dihydroisoxazole, 4,5-dihydrooxazole, 2,3-  
dihydrooxazole, 2,5-dihydrooxazole, 4,5-dihydrothiazole, 2,3-dihydrothiazole,,  
25 2,5-dihydrothiazole, 1,3,4-oxathiazolidine, 1,4,2-oxathiazolidine, 2,3-dihydro-1H-  
[1,2,3]triazole, 2,5-dihydro-1H-[1,2,3]triazole, 4,5-dihydro-1H-[1,2,3]triazole,  
2,3-dihydro-1H-[1,2,4]triazole, 4,5-dihydro-1H-[1,2,4]triazole, 2,3-dihydro-  
[1,2,4]oxadiazole, 2,5-dihydro-[1,2,4]oxadiazole, 4,5-dihydro-[1,2,4]thiadiazole,  
2,3-dihydro-[1,2,4] thidiazole, 2,5-dihydro-[1,2,4] thiadiazole, 4,5-dihydro-[1,2,4]  
30 thiadiazole, 2,5-dihydro-[1,2,4]oxadiazole, 2,3-dihydro-[1,2,4]oxadiazole, 4,5-  
dihydro-[1,2,4]oxadiazole, 2,5-dihydro-[1,2,4]thiadiazole, 2,3-dihydro-[1,2,4]  
thiadiazole, 4,5-dihydro-[1,2,4] thiadiazole, 2,3-dihydro-[1,3,4]oxadiazole, 2,3-

- dihydro-[1,3,4]thiadiazole, [1,4,2]oxathiazole, [1,3,4]oxathiazole, 1,3,5-  
 triazaperhydroine, 1,2,4-triazaperhydroine, 1,4,2-dithiazaperhydroine, 1,4,2-  
 dioxazaperhydroine, 1,3,5-oxadiazaperhydroine, 1,2,5-oxadiazaperhydroine,  
 1,3,4-thiadiazaperhydroine, 1,3,5-thiadiazaperhydroine, 1,2,5-  
 5 thiadiazaperhydroine, 1,3,4-oxadiazaperhydroine, 1,4,3-oxathiazaperhydroine,  
 1,4,2-oxathiazaperhydroine, 1,4,5,6-tetrahydropyridazine, 1,2,3,4-  
 tetrahydropyridazine, 1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridazine, 1,2,5,6-tetrahydropyrimidine,  
 1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine, 1,4,5,6-tetrahydropyrimidine, 1,2,3,6-  
 tetrahydropyrazine, 1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrazine, 5,6-dihydro-4H-[1,2]oxazine, 5,6-  
 10 dihydro-2H-[1,2]oxazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-[1,2]oxazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-  
 [1,2]oxazine, 5,6-dihydro-4H-[1,2]thiazine, 5,6-dihydro-2H-[1,2] thiazine, 3,6-  
 dihydro-2H-[1,2] thiazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-[1,2] thiazine, 5,6-dihydro-2H-  
 [1,3]oxazine, 5,6-dihydro-4H-[1,3]oxazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-[1,3]oxazine, 3,4-  
 dihydro-2H-[1,3]oxazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-[1,4]oxazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-  
 15 [1,4]oxazine, 5,6-dihydro-2H-[1,3]thiazine, 5,6-dihydro-4H-[1,3]thiazine, 3,6-  
 dihydro-2H-[1,3]thiazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-[1,3]thiazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-  
 [1,4]thiazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-[1,4]thiazine, 1,2,3,6-tetrahydro-[1,2,4]triazine,  
 1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-[1,2,4]triazine, 1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-[1,3,5]triazine, 2,3,4,5-  
 tetrahydro-[1,2,4]triazine, 1,4,5,6-tetrahydro-[1,2,4]triazine, 5,6-dihydro-  
 20 [1,4,2]dioxazine, 5,6-dihydro-[1,4,2]dioxazine, 5,6-dihydro-[1,4,2]dithiazine, 2,3-  
 dihydro-[1,4,2]dioxazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-[1,3,4]oxadiazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-  
 [1,3,4]oxadiazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-[1,3,5]oxadiazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-  
 [1,3,5]oxadiazine, 5,6-dihydro-2H-[1,2,5]oxadiazine, 5,6-dihydro-4H-  
 [1,2,5]oxadiazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-[1,3,4]thiadiazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-  
 25 [1,3,4]thiadiazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-[1,3,5]thiadiazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-  
 [1,3,5]thiadiazine, 5,6-dihydro-2H-[1,2,5]thiadiazine, 5,6-dihydro-4H-  
 [1,2,5]thiadiazine, 5,6-dihydro-2H-[1,2,3]oxadiazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-  
 [1,2,5]oxadiazine, 5,6-dihydro-4H-[1,3,4]oxadiazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-  
 [1,2,5]oxadiazine, 5,6-dihydro-2H-[1,2,3]thiadiazine, 3,6-dihydro-2H-  
 30 [1,2,5]thiadiazine, 5,6-dihydro-4H-[1,3,4]thiadiazine, 3,4-dihydro-2H-  
 [1,2,5]thiadiazine, 5,6-dihydro-[1,4,3]oxathiazine, 5,6-dihydro-[1,4,2]oxathiazine,  
 2,3-dihydro-[1,4,3]oxathiazine, 2,3-dihydro-[1,4,2]oxathiazine, 4,5-



dihydropyridine, 1,6-dihydropyridine, 5,6-dihydropyridine, 2H-pyran, 2H-thiin,  
 3,6-dihydropyridine, 2,3-dihydropyridazine, 2,5-dihydropyridazine, 4,5-  
 dihydropyridazine, 1,2-dihydropyridazine, 2,3-dihydropyrimidine, 2,5-  
 dihydropyrimidine, 5,6-dihydropyrimidine, 3,6-dihydropyrimidine, 4,5-  
 5 dihydropyrazine, 5,6-dihydropyrazine, 3,6-dihydropyrazine, 4,5-dihydropyrazine,  
 1,4-dihydropyrazine, 1,4-dithiin, 1,4-dioxin, 2H-1,2-oxazine, 6H-1,2-oxazine, 4H-  
 1,2-oxazine, 2H-1,3-oxazine, 4H-1,3-oxazine, 6H-1,3-oxazine, 2H-1,4-oxazine,  
 4H-1,4-oxazine, 2H-1,3-thiazine, 2H-1,4-thiazine, 4H-1,2-thiazine, 6H-1,3-  
 thiazine, 4H-1,4-thiazine, 2H-1,2-thiazine, 6H-1,2-thiazine, 1,4-oxathiin, 2H,5H-  
 10 1,2,3-triazine, 1H,4H-1,2,3-triazine, 4,5-dihydro-1,2,3-triazine, 1H,6H-1,2,3-  
 triazine, 1,2-dihydro-1,2,3-triazine, 2,3-dihydro-1,2,4-triazine, 3H,6H-1,2,4-  
 triazine, 1H,6H-1,2,4-triazine, 3,4-dihydro-1,2,4-triazine, 1H,4H-1,2,4-triazine,  
 5,6-dihydro-1,2,4-triazine, 4,5-dihydro-1,2,4-triazine, 2H,5H-1,2,4-triazine, 1,2-  
 dihydro-1,2,4-triazine, 1H,4H-1,3,5-triazine, 1,2-dihydro-1,3,5-triazine, 1,4,2-  
 15 dithiazine, 1,4,2-dioxazine, 2H-1,3,4-oxadiazine, 2H-1,3,5-oxadiazine, 6H-1,2,5-  
 oxadiazine, 4H-1,3,4-oxadiazine, 4H-1,3,5-oxadiazine, 4H-1,2,5-oxadiazine, 2H-  
 1,3,5-thiadiazine, 6H-1,2,5-thiadiazine, 4H-1,3,4-thiadiazine, 4H-1,3,5-  
 thiadiazine, 4H-1,2,5-thiadiazine, 2H-1,3,4-thiadiazine, 6H-1,3,4-thiadiazine, 6H-  
 1,3,4-oxadiazine, 1,4,2-oxathiazine and any bicyclic derivative of any of the  
 20 above rings containing a vicinally-fused phenyl, pyridine or pyrimidine, wherein  
 the carbon atoms of the ring and bicyclic derivative are substituted by 0, 1 or 2  
 oxo or thioxo groups; wherein the ring or bicyclic derivative there of is substituted  
 by 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 substituents selected from  $R^c$ ,  $R^e$ , halo,  $C_{1-4}$ haloalkyl, cyano,  
 nitro,  $-C(=O)R^c$ ,  $-C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-C(=NR^a)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-OR^h$ ,  $-OC(=O)R^c$ ,  
 25  $-OC(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-OC(=O)N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^c$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^h$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylOR^h$ ,  
 $-SR^c$ ,  $-S(=O)R^c$ ,  $-S(=O)_2R^c$ ,  $-S(=O)_2NR^aR^h$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)R^c$ ,  
 $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)R^c$ ,  
 $-N(R^a)C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^c$ ,  
 $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2NR^aR^h$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^h$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylOR^h$ ,  $-C(=O)R^g$ ,  
 30  $-C(=O)OR^g$ ,  $-C(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-C(=NR^a)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-OR^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)R^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  
 $-OC(=O)N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^g$ ,  $-OC(=O)N(R^g)S(=O)_2R^c$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^g$ ,  
 $-OC_{2-6}alkylOR^g$ ,  $-SR^g$ ,  $-S(=O)R^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2R^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2NR^aR^g$ ,

- $-S(=O)_2N(R^g)C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)R^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^g)C(=O)OR^h$ ,  
 $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)OR^g$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^g)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  
 $-NR^aR^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)C(=O)R^e$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)R^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)C(=O)OR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)OR^g$ ,  
 $-N(R^g)C(=O)NR^aR^h$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^h$ ,  
5  $-N(R^a)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)S(=O)_2R^e$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^g$ ,  $-N(R^g)S(=O)_2NR^aR^h$ ,  
 $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2NR^aR^g$ ,  $-NR^hC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^g$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^g$ ,  
 $-NR^gC_{2-6}alkylOR^h$  and  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylOR^g$ .

5. The compound according to Claim 4, wherein  $R^5$  is  $R^e$ .  
 10 6. The compound according to Claim 4, wherein  $R^{5'}$  is  $R^e$ .  
 7. The compound according to Claim 4, wherein  $R^6$  is selected from  
 $C_{1-4}haloalkyl$ , halo, cyano,  $-C(=O)R^b$ ,  $-C(=O)OR^b$ ,  $-C(=O)NR^aR^a$ ,  
 15  $-C(=NR^a)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-OH$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkyl$ ,  $-OC(=O)R^b$ ,  $-OC(=O)NR^aR^a$ ,  
 $-OC(=O)N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^b$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^a$ ,  $-OC_{2-6}alkylOR^a$ ,  $-SR^a$ ,  $-S(=O)R^b$ ,  
 $-S(=O)_2R^b$ ,  $-S(=O)_2NR^aR^a$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)R^b$ ,  $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)OR^b$ ,  
 $-S(=O)_2N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-NR^aR^b$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)R^b$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=O)OR^b$ ,  
 $-N(R^a)C(=O)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-N(R^a)C(=NR^a)NR^aR^a$ ,  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2R^b$ ,  
 20  $-N(R^a)S(=O)_2NR^aR^a$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylNR^aR^a$ ,  $-NR^aC_{2-6}alkylOR^a$  and  $R^e$ .  
 8. The compound according to Claim 7, wherein  $R^6$  is selected from  
 $C_{1-4}haloalkyl$ , halo and  $R^e$ .  
 25 9. The compound according to Claim 7, wherein  $R^6$  is selected from  
 $C_{1-4}haloalkyl$  and  $C_{2-5}alkyl$ .  
 10. The compound according to Claim 7, wherein  $R^6$  is selected from  
 trifluoromethyl and tert-butyl.  
 30 11. The compound according to Claim 1, wherein the compound is  
 selected from:

- 7-pyridin-2-yl-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 7-(1,3-thiazol-2-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 5 7-pyrazin-2-yl-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 2-[4-(3,5-dichloropyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-7-(3,4-difluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 7-bromo-2-[4-(3,5-difluoropyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 10 2-[4-(3,5-dichloropyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazole;
- 2-[4-(3-bromopyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-5,7-bis(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 15 7-(3,4-difluorobenzyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 2-[(3R)-4-(2-bromophenyl)-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-7-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 2-[(2R)-4-(3-bromopyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-7-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 20 2-[(3R)-4-(3-bromopyridin-2-yl)-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5,7-bis(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- (2-{4-[7-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 25 (2-{4-[7-bromo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 7-chloro-2-[(3R)-3-methyl-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 7-chloro-2-[(3R)-4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 30 7-bromo-2-[(3R)-4-(3-bromopyridin-2-yl)-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;

- 2-[(3R)-4-(3-bromopyridin-2-yl)-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 2-[4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 5 2-[4-(3,5-dichloropyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 2-[4-(3-bromopyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- N-methyl-2-{4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridine-3-sulfonamide;
- 10 7-nitro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-amine;
- 15 N-(3,4,5-trifluorobenzyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-amine;
- (5-chloro-6-{4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- (5-chloro-6-{4-[7-iodo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 20 (5-chloro-6-{(3R)-4-[7-iodo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 7-iodo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 25 4-[(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)amino]butan-2-ol;
- 3-hydroxy-2,2-dimethyl-N-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)propanamide;
- 3-hydroxy-N-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)butanamide;
- 30 2-[(2R)-4-(3-bromopyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;

- 2-[(2S)-4-(3-bromopyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
3,5-difluoro-6-{4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-2-amine;
- 5 2,2-dimethyl-N-[3-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)pyridin-2-yl]propanamide;  
3-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)pyridin-2-amine;  
(5-chloro-6-{4-[7-(3-fluoro-4-methoxyphenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-
- 10 benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 2-[(3S)-4-(3-bromopyridin-2-yl)-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
2-[(2R)-4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 15 4-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)benzylamine;  
N-isopropyl-N-[4-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)benzyl]amine;  
7-bromo-2-[(2R)-4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-
- 20 (trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
6-trifluoromethyl-2-[4-(3-trifluoromethylpyridin-2-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
6-trifluoromethyl-2-[4-(3-trifluoromethyl-3,4,5,6-tetrahydro-pyridin-2-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 25 2-[(2R)-4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-7-(3-fluoro-4-methoxyphenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
7-bromo-2-{(2R)-2-methyl-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
2-{(2R)-2-methyl-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-
- 30 (trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
N,N-dimethyl-4-[2-{(2R)-2-methyl-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl]aniline;

1-benzyl-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;

1-benzyl-6-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;

5 5-chloro-6-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;

5-chloro-2-[4-(3,5-dichloropyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;

10 5-chloro-2-[4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;

6-chloro-5-methyl-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;

6-(3,4-difluorophenyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;

15 5-bromo-6-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;

5-bromo-2-[4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;

20 5-(3,4-difluorophenyl)-6-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;

2-[4-(5-chloropyrimidin-4-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;

5-bromo-2-[4-(5-chloropyrimidin-4-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;

25 methyl 5-chloro-6-{4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}nicotinate;

5-chloro-N-methyl-6-{4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}nicotinamide;

30 5-chloro-6-{4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}nicotinamide;

1-(5-chloro-6-{4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)ethanone;

- 1-(5-chloro-6-{4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)ethanol;  
4-(3-chlorophenyl)-1-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperidin-4-ol;  
6-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-3H-  
5 imidazo[4,5-b]pyridine;  
1-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-2-one;  
2-{2-(methoxymethyl)-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
10 1-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]-4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinoxaline;  
2,2-dimethyl-N-[3-({4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}carbonyl)pyridin-4-yl]propanamide;  
2-[4-(2-piperazin-1-ylpropanoyl)piperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-  
15 trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
2-{4-[(1-methylpiperidin-4-yl)carbonyl]piperazin-1-yl}-6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
2-[4-(piperidin-4-ylcarbonyl)piperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
20 2-[4-(pyridin-2-ylmethyl)piperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
3-(trifluoromethyl)-1'-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-1',2',3',6'-tetrahydro-2,4'-bipyridine;  
5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperidin-1-yl}-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
25 (3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
2-{(2R)-2-butyl-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
N~1~,N~1~-dimethyl-N~2~-{5-(trifluoromethyl)-6-{4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl}ethane-  
30 1,2-diamine;  
N-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-6-{4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)acetamide;

- 5-fluoro-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole-5-  
carbonitrile;  
methyl 2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole-  
5 5-carboxylate;  
5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-  
imidazo[4,5-b]pyridine;  
5-(trifluoromethyl)-6-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-2-{4-[3-  
(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
10 5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-6-  
(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
(6-{4-[6-bromo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-  
chloropyridin-3-yl)methanol;  
5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-  
15 benzimidazole-6-carbonitrile;  
tert-butyl 4-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-  
1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-6-yl)-3,6-dihydropyridine-1(2H)-carboxylate;  
5-(trifluoromethyl)-6-[4-(trifluoromethyl)cyclohex-1-en-1-yl]-2-{4-[3-  
(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
20 1-{4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-  
yl]piperazin-1-yl}isoquinoline;  
(6-{(3R)-4-[6-bromo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-  
methylpiperazin-1-yl}-5-chloropyridin-3-yl)methanol;  
6-{4-[7-bromo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-  
25 yl}quinoline;  
6-(trifluoromethyl)-N-{2-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]ethyl}-2-{4-[3-  
(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-5-amine;  
6-(trifluoromethyl)-N-[4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl]-2-{4-[3-  
(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-5-amine;  
30 4-{4-[7-bromo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-  
yl}quinoline;



- N-(2-piperidin-1-ylethyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-6-amine;  
N-(2-morpholin-4-ylethyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-6-amine;
- 5 7-{4-[7-bromo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}quinoline;  
7-{4-[7-bromo-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}isoquinoline;
- 10 N-(2-piperazin-1-ylethyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-6-amine;  
5-{4-[4-bromo-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}isoquinoline;  
6-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole-4-carbonitrile;
- 15 tert-butyl 4-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)-3,6-dihydropyridine-1(2H)-carboxylate;  
7-(4-tert-butylcyclohex-1-en-1-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-[4-(trifluoromethyl)cyclohex-1-en-1-yl]-2-{4-[3-
- 20 (trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
7-(1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridin-4-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
7-(1-isopropyl-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridin-4-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 25 5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-[4-(trifluoromethyl)cyclohexyl]-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
2-{4-[5-bromo-3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
4-bromo-2-{4-[5-bromo-3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-6-
- 30 (trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
N-[6-{4-[4-bromo-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]acetamide;

- 7-piperidin-1-yl-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 7-morpholin-4-yl-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 5 7-piperazin-1-yl-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 4-bromo-2-[(2R)-4-(3,5-dichloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- (5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 10 (6-((3R)-4-[4-bromo-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}-5-chloropyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 2-((2R)-2-methyl-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl)-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 15 2-((2R)-4-[3-chloro-5-(methoxymethyl)pyridin-2-yl]-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl)-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 1-(5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)ethanol;
- N-[(5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methyl]acetamide;
- 20 N-[(5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methyl]-N-methylacetamide;
- 2-(5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)propan-2-ol;
- 25 2-[(2R)-4-(3,5-dichloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazole;
- 4-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-[(2R)-4-(3,5-dichloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 2-[(2R)-4-(3,5-dichloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 30 [5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;

- (5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- (5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[4-pyridin-3-yl-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 5 (5-chloro-6-((3R)-4-[4-(4-chlorophenyl)-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 2-[(2R)-4-(3,5-dichloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-4-pyridin-3-yl-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 1-(5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)ethanol;
- 10 1-[5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl]ethanol;
- 1-(5-chloro-6-((3R)-4-[4-(4-chlorophenyl)-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)ethanol;
- 15 1-(5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[4-pyridin-3-yl-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)ethanol;
- N-[2-((2R)-4-[3-chloro-5-(hydroxymethyl)pyridin-2-yl]-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl]-3,4,5-trifluorobenzamide;
- 20 (5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[4-[(3,4,5-trifluorobenzyl)amino]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- 4-[3-chloro-5-(hydroxymethyl)pyridin-2-yl]-N-methyl-1-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazine-2-carboxamide;/
- (1S)-1-(5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)ethanol;
- 25 (1R)-1-(5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)ethanol;
- N-[2-((2R)-4-[3-chloro-5-(hydroxymethyl)pyridin-2-yl]-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-4-yl]-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzamide;
- 30 N-[2-((2R)-4-[3-chloro-5-(hydroxymethyl)pyridin-2-yl]-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-4-yl]cyclohexanecarboxamide;

- 4-chloro-N-[2-{{(2R)-4-[3-chloro-5-(hydroxymethyl)pyridin-2-yl]-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl}-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-4-yl}]benzamide;  
methyl 5-chloro-6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl} nicotinate;
- 5 (6-{{(3R)-4-[7-[bis(cyclohexylmethyl)amino]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}-5-chloropyridin-3-yl)methanol;  
(5-chloro-6-{{(3R)-4-[7-[(cyclohexylmethyl)amino]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl} pyridin-3-yl)methanol;  
1-(5-chloro-6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl} pyridin-3-yl)propan-1-ol;
- 10 tert-butyl 2-{{(2R)-4-[3-chloro-5-(hydroxymethyl)pyridin-2-yl]-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl}carbamate;  
[6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl]methanol;
- 15 1-[6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl]propan-1-ol;  
1-[6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl]prop-2-en-1-ol;
- 20 2-methyl-1-[6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl]propan-1-ol;  
1-[6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl]ethanol;
- 25 [6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl](phenyl)methanol;  
[6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl]methanol;
- 30 1-[6-{{(3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl]propan-1-ol;

- 1-[6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-{6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl}piperazin-1-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl]prop-2-en-1-ol;
- 5 (5-(trifluoromethyl)-6-{4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;
- [5-(trifluoromethyl)-6-(4-{6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl}piperazin-1-yl)pyridin-3-yl]methanol;
- 1-[6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-{6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl}piperazin-1-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl]ethanol;
- 10 5-chloro-6-((3R)-3-methyl-4-[6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl)nicotinic acid;
- 2-[(2R)-4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-7-(3,5-difluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 7-(3,5-difluorophenyl)-2-[(2R)-4-[3-(3,5-difluorophenyl)pyridin-2-yl]-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 15 2-[(2R)-4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-7-(3-fluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 7-(3-fluorophenyl)-2-[(2R)-4-[3-(3-fluorophenyl)pyridin-2-yl]-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 20 4-[2-[(2R)-4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl]-N,N-dimethylaniline;
- 2-[(2R)-4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-benzimidazole;
- 2-[(2R)-4-(3-chloropyridin-2-yl)-2-methylpiperazin-1-yl]-7-(4-fluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;
- 25 5-bromo-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-imidazo[4,5-b]pyridine;
- 2-[4-(4-Chloro-[1,2,5]thiadiazol-3-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-5-trifluoromethyl-7-(3,4,5-trifluoro-phenyl)-1H-benzoimidazole;
- 30 6-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;

- N-isopropyl-2-{4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-amine;  
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2-[4-(6-chloropyridin-2-yl)piperazin-1-yl]-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazole;  
5 7-pyridin-4-yl-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
7-(3-fluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
5-(trifluoromethyl)-7-[2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
10 7-(4-fluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
7-(3-chloro-4-fluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
15 7-(2-methoxyphenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
7-(3,5-difluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
[3-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)phenyl]methanol;  
20 7-(6-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
8-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)quinoline;  
25 7-(4-tert-butylphenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
7-(3-chloropyridin-4-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
7-[3-(trifluoromethoxy)phenyl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;  
30 N-[4-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)phenyl]acetamide;

- 7-(1-benzothien-2-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 3-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)aniline;
- 5 N,N-dimethyl-4-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)aniline;
- 7-(3-fluoro-4-methoxyphenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 7-(2,4-dimethoxypyrimidin-5-yl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 10 7-(2,5-difluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 7-(2,4-difluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 15 7-(3-furyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 7-(2,3-difluorophenyl)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 4-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)aniline;
- 20 [4-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazol-7-yl)phenyl]methanol;
- 7-[(E)-2-phenylvinyl]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- 25 7-cyclohex-1-en-1-yl-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-{4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}-1H-benzimidazole;
- {5-chloro-6-[(3R)-3-methyl-4-(6-(trifluoromethyl)-4-{4-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl}amino)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]piperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl}methanol;
- 30 (6-{(3R)-4-[7-[bis(4-chlorobenzyl)amino]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}-5-chloropyridin-3-yl)methanol;

(5-chloro-6-{{(3R)-4-[7-[(4-chlorobenzyl)amino]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol;  
(6-{{(3R)-4-[7-[bis(4-tert-butylbenzyl)amino]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}-5-chloropyridin-3-yl)methanol;  
5 (6-{{(3R)-4-[7-[(4-tert-butylbenzyl)amino]-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}-5-chloropyridin-3-yl)methanol;  
(5-chloro-6-{{(3R)-4-[7-(dibenzylamino)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}pyridin-3-yl)methanol; and  
(6-{{(3R)-4-[7-(benzylamino)-5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl]-3-methylpiperazin-1-yl}-5-chloropyridin-3-yl)methanol; or a pharmaceutically-  
10 acceptable salt thereof.

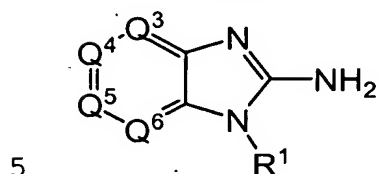
12. A method of treating acute, inflammatory and neuropathic pain, dental pain, general headache, migraine, cluster headache, mixed-vascular and  
15 non-vascular syndromes, tension headache, general inflammation, arthritis, rheumatic diseases, osteoarthritis, inflammatory bowel disorders, inflammatory eye disorders, inflammatory or unstable bladder disorders, psoriasis, skin complaints with inflammatory components, chronic inflammatory conditions, inflammatory pain and associated hyperalgesia and allodynia, neuropathic pain  
20 and associated hyperalgesia and allodynia, diabetic neuropathy pain, causalgia, sympathetically maintained pain, deafferentation syndromes, asthma, epithelial tissue damage or dysfunction, herpes simplex, disturbances of visceral motility at respiratory, genitourinary, gastrointestinal or vascular regions, wounds, burns, allergic skin reactions, pruritus, vitiligo, general gastrointestinal disorders, gastric  
25 ulceration, duodenal ulcers, diarrhea, gastric lesions induced by necrotising agents, hair growth, vasomotor or allergic rhinitis, bronchial disorders or bladder disorders, comprising the step of administering a compound according to any one of Claims 1 through 11 to a mammal in need thereof.

30 13. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound according to any one of Claims 1 through 11 and a pharmaceutically-acceptable diluent or carrier.

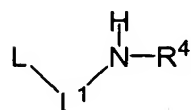


14. A method of making a compound according to Claim 1, comprising the steps of:

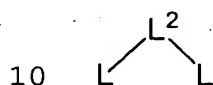
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and an appropriate base, wherein L is a leaving group; and reacting the product with



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